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Response to Office Action of 10/07/2003
Attorney Docket: HENTE-061B

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants:	Mark D. Hubbard <i>et al.</i>)	Confirmation No.:	3304
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action of October 7, 2003, please amend the above-identified application as follows: